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**SCHOOL FINANCE MEMORANDUM 05-014**

**TO:** School District and Charter School Administrators and Business Managers

**FROM:** Philip Williams, Deputy Associate Superintendent, School Finance

**DATE:** November 2, 2004

**SUBJECT:** Full Day Kindergarten payment 5

The Full Day Kindergarten (FDK) Fund payment 5 has been made. This payment includes the monthly apportionment amount for November 2004 (FY 2004-05). This payment, as well as all subsequent payments, will remain the same until January. At this time, we will recalculate using the most current FY2003-2004 100<sup>th</sup> day ADM. Payment 6 (scheduled for December) will be made for the same amount as payment 5. However, in January, we will recalculate payment amounts using the most current FY2003-2004 100<sup>th</sup> day ADM.

Additional key information and requirements include the following, for which further detail is available in A.R.S. §15-901.02:

- Enrollment in FDK is an option for parents.
- FDK monies may only be expended on FDK.
- A school level report on the expenditures of FDK monies is required of all LEA's receiving FDK monies. Information regarding the requirements of this report will be forthcoming from ADE and the Office of the Auditor General.

The School Finance Bulletin Board and Reports pages include information on each district's and each charter's distribution. These web pages are available through the School Finance web site at:  
<http://www.ade.az.gov/schoolfinance>.

For further information on FDK, please visit the FDK page on the ADE web site at:  
<http://www.ade.az.gov/earlychildhood/fulldaykinder/>

USFR 206 for districts and USFRCS 52 for charter schools provide additional information on FDK. The language (A.R.S. §15-901.02) in Arizona Revised Statutes authorizing the funding of Full day Kindergarten is accessible at:  
<http://www.azleg.state.az.us/FormatDocument.asp?inDoc=/ars/15/00901-02.htm&Title=15&DocType=ARS>